

# Letters to the Editor

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Length must be restricted to one type written page double spaced or they will be subject to censoring by the editor.

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All letters must be signed, although names will be withheld upon request of author.

Letters must deal with local problems and happenings only.

The Press is happy to cooperate with any individual or group in printing their views and opinions, but does not necessarily share any viewpoint expressed under "Letters to the Editor."

## Dominguez Gets New Chamber of Commerce Prexy

DOMINGUEZ. Named to immediately take over the Dominguez Chamber of Commerce, left vacant by the resignation of Nels Bakken last week, is Don Brock, former vice president of the organization.

Brock served during the summer months as president of the chamber of commerce while Bakken was on a leave of absence. The vice president directed the Dominguez fiesta and aided the group through various other activities last summer.

Brock will serve as president until the election in January, it was announced. Bakken has given up his business holdings in Dominguez and purchased a new business in Torrance.

## Special Issue Sunday for Thanksgiving

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, the next issue of the Press will appear this Sunday, November 19, 1950. There will be no issue next Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, November 23, 1950.

Deadline for all club and society news for the special Sunday, Thanksgiving issue is noon tomorrow, Friday, November 17, 1950.

## Four Local

(Continued from Page One) school, Larry has recently been attending El Camino college.

John B. Hoffman, Jr., 19, 2028 240th street, Lomita; Edward Morgan, 17002 Glenburn avenue, and Gilbert D. DiBenedetti, 21, 2424 Cabrillo avenue, enlisted in the Air Force.

Hoffman and DiBenedetti are both former students of Torrance High, where John was a letterman on the track team, and Gilbert won his letters in football, basketball, and baseball. Morgan is a graduate of Santa Ana HI, and a former member of the National Guard.

Master Sergeant Gibbons said Shirley has been sent to Fort Ord, Monterey, Calif., for Regular Army basic training.

Hoffman, Morgan, and DiBenedetti have been sent to Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, for Air Force training.

## New Teacher

(Continued from Page One) for cafeteria helper (probationary), as of 11-1-50 at \$150.00 month; Ila Mae Rodgers for junior clerk (probationary), as of 10-30-50 at \$165.00 month; and Paul Muller for bus driver (probationary), as of 11-1-50 at \$1.35 hour.

## El Camino Warriors to Battle Saracens Saturday

With "Dancing" Don Miller ready to roll, El Camino's high flying Warriors are expected to chalk up another victory Saturday evening, November 18, at 8 p.m. when Grant Technical College from Sacramento flies into town for a non-conference grid encounter.

The Saracens have an unimpressive record with two wins against five defeats. Grant Tech defeated Redley College 19-13, and Placer jaysse 19-12, compiling a season's total of 64 points against 210 for the opposition.

## TARTAR Football NOTES

By JIM LEECH

The Fighting Tartar Machine took things easy all last week, with only three days of hard practice, climaxed by a Juhior game on Thursday.

The seniors took on all underclass men on the Varsity Football club. This game turned out to be one of the hardest games the Tartars have ever played, even though played against each other. Of course the Great Senior Class of '51 beat by a score of 6 to 0.

By the time you have read this column the Torrance High School Griders will have completed the last three days of practice in the 1950 football season.

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock they will bring to a close the 1950 season when they take on the Inglewood Sentinels for the second place honors.

The Tartars, after whipping

## Stork Section

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Beeson of 3437 West 175th street at Torrance Memorial hospital was a girl, Cheryl Beth, on Nov. 8. The new baby has one brother, Roger. The father is employed at Northrup Aircraft.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burns, Jr., of 1558 West 219th street at Torrance Memorial hospital Nov. 6 is a girl, Betty Jane. Burns is a Yeoman 2nd class in the U. S. Navy and the mother is the former Jane Ritchie. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Ritchie of 1645 West 219th Street, Torrance, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burns of 1908 West 152nd street, Gardena.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jensen of 26-A 10th street, Hermosa Beach, at Torrance Memorial hospital on Nov. 6 was a son, Robinson Grant. Mrs. Jensen is the former Pennie Van Deventer. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Van Deventer of 235 1/2 Orizaba avenue, Long Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jensen of 1838 Manhattan avenue, Hermosa Beach.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Jones of 4025 West 168th street, Lawndale, at the Torrance Memorial hospital on Nov. 6 was a boy, Robert Verlin. The father is an employee of the North American Aircraft and the mother will be remembered as Katherine Lois Ackerman. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ackerman of Glendive, Mont., and Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones of Naylor, Mont.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Judson Bowers of 1504 West 218th street at Torrance Memorial hospital was a son on Nov. 6. The baby's name is Fredrick Judson and he has one sister, Claudia Kay. Bowers is an accountant at the National Supply Company. The grandmothers are Mrs. Elsie Bowers of 310 Toledo street, Adrian, Mich., and Mrs. Lillian Cox of 2700 Fairlawn avenue, Adrian, Mich.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kling of 2510 Cabrillo avenue at the Torrance Memorial hospital was a son on Nov. 6. The baby's name is George Howard. The father is a chemist at the Stauffer Chemical Company and the mother's name before marriage was Martha Elizabeth Dorris.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Irvin C. Lumley of 2521 Harriman lane, Redondo Beach, at the Torrance Memorial hospital was a son on Nov. 3. The baby's name is Gary Lloyd and he has two brothers, Timothy and Richard, and one sister, Adele. The father is an employee of the City of Redondo Beach.

READ THE WANT ADS!

## Motion Picture Director at Legion Meeting

The Bert S. Crossland Post No. 170 of the American Legion announces that Tuesday, Nov. 21st, their speaker of the evening will be Lawrence Raimond, Hollywood Motion Picture director, cameraman, and writer. He will speak on the technical part of Motion Picture Photography. Any Veteran of World War I or II who would like to join the Post is invited to come and to bring a guest. Meeting will start at 8 p.m.

The Post is now sponsoring a public dance every Saturday night from 9 until 1 a.m. Music is furnished by Les Tronier's Orchestra. Door prize this coming Saturday will be a table model radio. Admission 50c.

## Radio Programs Sponsored by U.S. Post Office

United States postoffice will sponsor a series of broadcasts beginning Nov. 19, according to Postmistress Clara Conners.

They will be as follows: "American Railroads Carry the Mail," Dec. 3; "United States Airlines Carry the Mail," and on Dec. 17, "Uncle Sam Delivers the Mail." These broadcasts will be over the Mutual Broadcasting network.

## Awards To Be Presented To Girl Scouts

Court of Awards to be followed by a tea will be given by Girl Scout Troop 610, Sunday afternoon, November 26.

"Hands Around The World" will be the theme of the program to follow the presentation of awards. Troop members "attired in costumes of various countries will enact a playlet.

In charge of arrangements are Mrs. Clare Swintex and Shirley Lloyd.

## Daffodil Should Be Planted Now

Daffodils or narcissus do well in any good garden soil, in full sun or partial shade, is suitable. Planting season is from now until December.

Plant bulbs 6 to 8 inches deep, and six to eight inches apart. Keep soil well soaked as these bulbs require a cool and moist fall and winter rooting season.

Fertilize several times during spring growing season, and after flowering encourage continued growth with water and fertilizer, as that is when the flower for the following season is produced and formed in the bulb. If leaves are cut off, or allowed to die too soon after flowering, there will not be any flowers the following season. Bulbs can be dug and replanted each fall, or allowed to remain in the same place for many years, until they become too crowded.

## Local Soldier

(Continued from Page One) harbor youth has been wounded in action, Mrs. Thompson said. The first time was during the fighting deep in South Korea.

Cpl. Thompson enlisted in the army for six years shortly before Christmas last year. He served as a Merchant Marine officer during World War II.

Dick Wright, and Ken Barton. Scatback Miller, who has been slowed down with a bad knee, should improve on his already fine seasonal average. Paul Held will call the signals.

## Obituaries

Frederick Henry Albertson of 1220 Greenwood avenue, Torrance, died at his home Nov. 11. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. P. J. McGuinness of the Church of the Nativity on Nov. 16 with interment at the Holy Cross cemetery in Los Angeles. Mr. Albertson was a native of Torrance for the past four years and also an employee of the Shell Oil Company for this length of time.

Manula Zapata, age 47, of 1683 West 213th street, Torrance, died at her home on Nov. 11. The Rev. P. J. McGuinness conducted the funeral services on Nov. 14 at the Church of the Nativity and interment was in the Holy Cross cemetery in Los Angeles. Mrs. Zapata was a resident of Torrance for the past six years. She leaves her husband, Angel; daughters, Lupe McBain and Angela Pruts of El Paso, Texas, and Luz Reyes of Pasadena.

George Lawrance Shepherd of 1754 Andree avenue died at his home on Nov. 11 at the age of 62. Funeral services were under the auspices of the Masonic lodge, No. 447. Pallbearers were J. Montgomery, C. M. Kabe, J. Hardin, F. Cook, R. Proctor, and J. Hedgecock, with Leonard Babcock as soloist. Interment was in Green Hills Memorial cemetery. Mr. Shepherd was an employee of the National Supply and leaves his widow, Carol Leigh; brothers, Joseph Harrison Shepherd, and Charles of Guthrie, Texas.

## Overseas Mailing

(Continued from Page One) ployees are trying very hard to get the general public "Christmas Minded" in order to get the Christmas mail out on time, according to Mrs. Clara Conner, postmistress.

## Walteria Youth Enlists In Air Force This Week

WALTERIA—Charles W. Brennen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brennen, 23818 Hawthorne avenue, Walteria, enlisted in the Air Force today.

Charles, a graduate of Inglewood High school, signed up for four years as an airman with Master Sgt. Len Gibbons of the local Torrance recruiting office, 1433 Marcellina avenue.

Master Sergeant Gibbons said Charles has been sent to Lackland Air Force Base, near San Antonio, Texas, where he will take Air Force training courses before being given a permanent assignment.

## Street Improvement

(Continued from Page One) week.

City Manager George Stevens said the money will be used to improve portions of 171st St., Casimir Ave., Calle Mayor, Arlington Ave., 235th St., Ocean Ave., Eshelman Ave. and streets in the Highland Park and Shady Nook tracts.

He also added that some of the work is already in progress.

## 427 Homes

(Continued from Page One) Torrance. Fifty-seven homes in all, both tracts will have sewer connection when the 182nd street sewer is completed, said Stevens. The Community Airports sub-

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"Other than as a means of advertisement to the merchants who sponsor us, our sole purpose is spreading good will throughout the community," expressed Mrs. Dickson and Mrs. Lackey. Operating their good will service since May, 1950, the ladies are sponsored by many Torrance merchants.

## Rummage Sale Successful

The rummage sale held recently by Mrs. William Sale, ways and means chairman of North Torrance Elementary P-TA was very successful.

Mrs. Sale reported a profit of \$73.30, which has given the P-TA quite a budget boost, according to Mr. C. E. Sewell, treasurer.

Mrs. Sale's next project is to be a week set aside as "Breakfast Week." Information concerning this project will be announced at the regular P-TA meeting.

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